



# *The Commonwealth of Massachusetts*

## **MASSACHUSETTS GAMING COMMISSION**

### **RACING DIVISION**

## **MEETING AGENDA**

**JUNE 21, 2012**

This meeting will be heard by Commissioner Gayle Cameron in Room **1-B** at 1000 Washington Street, Boston, MA 02118 beginning at 10:00 AM.

#### **Approval of Minutes May 2, 2012**

#### **Hearings:**

##### **10:05 AM – Mr. Walter Case –**

A letter of appeal, received May 9, 2012 from the law office of Jeffrey R. Pocaro dated May 8, 2012, requesting a hearing in regards to RULING #1001-12 from the Board of Judges of Plainridge Racecourse denying Mr. Case a license.

##### **10:15 AM – Mr. Raymon Antonio Acevedo Fuentes –**

Appeal form – Request for Reinstatement from Mr. Fuentes received in the Boston Office on May 23, 2012 appealing Ruling #1059, dated September 4, 2010, from the Suffolk Downs Board of Stewards. Mr. Fuentes is also listed on the ejection report from Suffolk Downs dated April 19, 1995 by the Mass. State Police.

##### **10:30 AM – Ms. Judy Ray –**

Appeal form from Ms. Judy Ray dated June 5, 2012 requesting a hearing regarding her ejection of the Plainridge Racecourse on May 29, 2012 by the Mass. State Police.

##### **10:45 AM – Mr. Richard Charles Retamoza –**

Appeal form from Mr. Retamoza dated 5/28/2012 requesting reinstatement to Suffolk Downs from ejection by the Mass. State Police on 11/17/2011.

#### **Track Matters:**

##### **- Plainridge –**

Two letters from Mr. Steve O'Toole dated June 14, 2012 requesting permission to send and receive LIVE racing signals from listed outlets in 2012, pending receipt of executed contracts and appropriate horsemen's approval.

##### **- Suffolk Downs –**

A letter sent by Mr. Sam Elliott dated June 6, 2012, advising of the change to post time at Suffolk Downs on Belmont Stakes Day, Saturday June 9, 2012 from 1:15PM to be 1:45PM. (*ACKNOWLEDGEMENT*).

A letter from Mr. James Alcott dated June 14, 2012 requesting permission to simulcast Suffolk's races and commingle pools to the listed venue.

#### **Correspondence –**

A letter from Mr. Bruce Patten, Executive Director of the N.E.H.B.P.A., dated April 20, 2012 citing violations of 205 CMR 4.12 (5) by 4 (FOUR) individuals. Mr. Patten is requesting the prohibition or suspension of the licensing of the listed individuals. An e-mail request to postpone this discussion received April 28, 2012, due to Mr. Patten being out of state, removed this item from State Racing Commission's last hearing on May 2, 2012.

Next meeting date: tbd